

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF ILLINOIS  
EASTERN DIVISION**

CHARLOTTE BRENT-BELL,	)	
	)	
Plaintiff,	)	
	)	
v.	)	Case No. 1:17-cv-01099
	)	
The CITY OF CHICAGO, Chicago Police	)	Honorable Judge Joan B. Gottschall
Officers JOSEPH STRUCK, PAMELA	)	
CHILDS LAUGHLIN, SHERRY	)	Magistrate Judge Jeffrey T. Gilbert
KOTLARZ, JOSEPH LOPEZ, CYNTHIA	)	
R. NICHOLS, SGT. LOUIS D. BOONE,	)	
III, and UNIDENTIFIED CHICAGO	)	
POLICE OFFICERS,	)	
	)	
Defendants.	)	

**MOTION FOR LEAVE TO SUBSTITUTE COUNSEL**

Defendant, the City of Chicago, pursuant to Local Rule 83.16, respectfully moves that leave be granted for Terrence M. Burns, Daniel M. Noland, Paul Michalik, Elizabeth A. Ekl and Katherine C. Morrison of the law firm Reiter Burns LLP to enter their substituted appearance in place of counsel of record Devlin J. Schoop and Anna Davis Walker of the City of Chicago Law Department on behalf of the City of Chicago and Devlin J. Schoop and Anna Davis Walker be granted leave to withdraw their appearances on behalf of the defendants for whom they have appeared.

Terrence M. Burns, Daniel M. Noland, Paul Michalik, Elizabeth A. Ekl and Katherine C. Morrison of the law firm of Reiter Burns LLP have been requested to substitute their appearances in place of current counsel for defendant, the City of Chicago.

WHEREFORE, defendant, the City of Chicago, respectfully requests leave of Court to permit the substitution and withdrawal of the attorneys identified above.

Dated: February 19, 2018

Respectfully submitted,

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**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I hereby certify that on February 19, 2018, I electronically filed the foregoing **Motion for Leave to Substitute Counsel** with the Clerk of the Court using the ECF system, which sent electronic notification of the filing on the same day to:

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